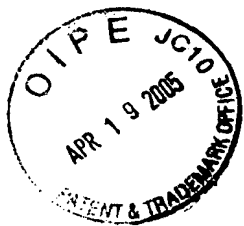


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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the office action dated February 24, 2005.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

No fee is believed to be due for this response, but if there is a fee deficiency, please charge **Winston & Strawn LLP** Deposit Account No. 50-1814.